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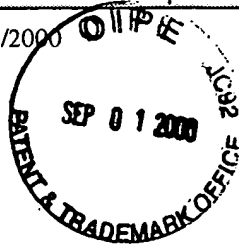


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| 09/587,668         | 06/05/2000          | Tao Chen              | PA000245               |

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

*Mr T-6*

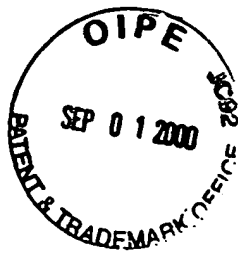
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PATENT

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In Re Application of )  
TAO CHEN ) For: Method and Apparatus for  
Serial No. 09/587,668 ) Improved Forward Link Power  
Filed: June 5, 2000 ) Control While in Soft Handoff  
Group Art Unit: 2744

REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT

Asst. Commissioner of Patents  
Application Processing Services Branch  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Upon review of the Notice to File Missing Parts, an error on the Official Filing Receipt has been discovered. It is requested that this error will be corrected and a new Filing Receipt be issued.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Asst. Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on:

August 29, 2000

(Date of Deposit)

Carola Emelius-Swartz

(Name of the Person Making Deposit)

(Signature)

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Upon filing the above-identified application, Applicant indicated on all documentation that the title of the application is "Method and Apparatus for Improved Forward Link Power Control While in Soft Handoff." In the title section of the filing receipt, the Office has incorrectly spelled the word "Improved" as "Improvided". Applicant respectfully requests that the Office Records be corrected to indicate the correct title of this application.

A copy of the incorrect Filing Receipt is enclosed for your convenience.

Applicant respectfully points out that the indicated error was an error made on the part of the Office, rather than by Applicant. Therefore, it is requested that this error be corrected at no cost to Applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 29, 2000

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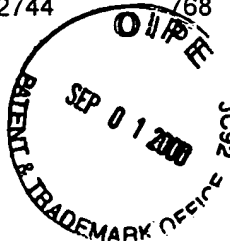
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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

**Applicant(s)**

Tao Chen, San Diego, CA ;

**Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant****Foreign Applications**

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**Title**Method and apparatus for improved forward link power control while in soft handoff**Preliminary Class**

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
BOX MISSING PARTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date  
Granted under 37 CFR § 1.53(d), which was mailed on August 16, 2000 enclosed are:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being  
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as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the  
Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C.  
20231, on:

August 29, 2000  
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Carola Emelius-Swartz  
(Name of the Person Making Deposit)  
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August 29, 2000  
(Date of Signature)



1. Office's copy of Formalities Letter as required;
2. Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
3. Return postcard.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 17 - 0026 of QUALCOMM Incorporated in the amount of \$130.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to said Deposit Account No. 17 - 0026.

The Commissioner is further hereby authorized to charge to said Deposit Account No. 17 - 0026, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25(b), any fee whatsoever which may become properly due or payable, as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16 to 37 CFR 1.18 inclusive, for the entire pendency of this application without specific additional authorization.

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